

FIRST READERS IN HOUSE
MONDAY, MARCH 9, 2015
TWENTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATIVE DAY

*Rules Suspended

[HB 558.](#)

By Representative Gardner of the 57th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Article 2 of Chapter 5 of Title 40 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to issuance, expiration, and renewal of licenses, so as to provide for restrictions on the issuance and use of instruction permits and graduated drivers' licenses; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on MOTOR VEHICLES

[HB 559.](#)

By Representatives Fleming of the 121st and Jackson of the 128th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend an Act to create a board of elections and registration for McDuffie County, approved March 22, 1990 (Ga. L. 1990, p. 4410), so as to increase the membership of the board; to provide for the manner of appointment and terms of office; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on INTRAGOVERNMENTAL COORDINATION -
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[HB 560.](#)

By Representatives Holcomb of the 81st and Abrams of the 89th:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Chapter 1 of Title 35 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to general provisions for law enforcement officers and agencies, so as to provide requirements for submitting certain evidence collected from a forensic medical examination to the Georgia Bureau of Investigation; to provide for a definition; to provide for procedure; to provide for reporting; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY NON-CIVIL

[HB 561.](#)

By Representatives Wilkinson of the 52nd, Benton of the 31st, Henson of the 86th, Cooper of the 43rd, McCall of the 33rd, and others:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Article 3 of Chapter 3 of Title 50 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to state symbols, so as to designate the adoptable dog as the official state dog; to provide legislative findings and declarations; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

[HB 562.](#)

By Representatives Hawkins of the 27th, Taylor of the 173rd, Clark of the 101st, Rogers of the 29th, Gardner of the 57th, and others:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Chapter 34 of Title 43 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to physicians, physician assistants, and others, so as to provide for the certification of polysomnographic technologists; to repeal a current law regarding polysomnography; to provide a short title; to provide legislative findings; to provide for definitions; to provide for applications to be made to the Georgia Composite

Medical Board to obtain certification to practice polysomnography; to provide for related matters; to provide for an effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

[HB 563.](#)

By Representatives Marin of the 96th, Kidd of the 145th, Floyd of the 99th, Chandler of the 105th, Scott of the 76th, and others:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Article 3 of Chapter 2 of Title 40 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to prestige license plates and plates for certain persons and vehicles, so as to provide for special decals issued to persons with disabilities to include a photograph of the person issued the decal; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on MOTOR VEHICLES

[*HB 578.](#)

By Representatives Weldon of the 3rd, Welch of the 110th, Oliver of the 82nd, Caldwell of the 131st, Jacobs of the 80th, and others:

A BILL to be entitled an Act to amend Article 2 of Chapter 11 of Title 16 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to offenses against public order, so as to change the offense of harassing phone calls to the offense of harassing communications; to provide for a definition; to provide for penalties; to provide for venue; to provide for exceptions; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY NON-CIVIL

[HR 565.](#)

By Representatives Rogers of the 10th, Gasaway of the 28th, England of the 116th, Roberts of the 155th, Powell of the 32nd, and others:

A RESOLUTION honoring the life of Mr. John Robert "Johnny" Mize and dedicating a bridge in his memory; and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION

[HR 566.](#)

By Representatives Spencer of the 180th, Shaw of the 176th, Corbett of the 174th, and Nimmer of the 178th:

A RESOLUTION honoring the life of Corporal Russell S. King and dedicating a bridge in his memory; and for other purposes.

Referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION